

Edexcel Level 3 Extended Project

What's changed?

The specification has been edited to make it more user-friendly and to take into account feedback received from the pilots. The major changes are listed below.

1) The assessment objectives

QCA has changed the wording of the assessment objectives. However, the impact on the units and mark grids is minimal.

2) Making use of work from other qualifications

Greater emphasis has been placed on the requirement that candidate work is **not** work that has been or will be submitted for other qualifications.

3) The units and mark grids

The units have been amended to add additional guidance and make evidence requirements clearer. Mark grids have been rewritten to allow for better differentiation of performance across the mark bands.

4) The presentation

The requirements for the presentation have been altered so that a live Q&A session is now compulsory.

5) Witness testimony

The option of using witness testimony from people **other than** the tutor-assessor has been removed.

6) Forms

Different exemplar project proposal forms have been produced for each unit.

7) Grade descriptions

Grade descriptions have been added in Annexe E.